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**CURRENT POSITION** Assistant professor, Duke University, Fuqua School of Business

**EDUCATION**

2006-2008 Post-doctorae in Economics, University of Oxford, Nuffield College  
2003-2006 PhD in Economics, London School of Economics and Political Science  
Thesis: "Endogenous Knowledge Flow and Sequential Innovation: Implications for Technology Diffusion, R&D and Firm Performance". Advisors: Mark Schankerman and John Van Reenen  
1997-2000 B.A. in Economics and Management and M.A. in Economics, Tel-Aviv University

**HONORS, SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS**

2010-2011 Teaching Excellency Award, Duke University  
2007-2008 National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER), recipient of the 2008 Postdoctoral Kauffman foundation fellowship (Innovation Policy and the Economy group)  
2006-2007 The British Academy: a study of open source participation (with Mark Schankerman), John Fell Fund: \$10,000 to study firm incentives for open science adoption (with Andrea Pataconi)  
2005-2007 Postdoctoral fellowship, Department of Economics, Oxford University  
2003-2004 European Commission, Marie Curie Fellowship, LSE  
2001-2002 Israel Economic Society, Gaaton national award; Tel-Aviv University, Rosenfeld national award; Tel-Aviv University, Fishelzon University Award

**RELEVANT POSITIONS HELD**

2003-2007 Associate, the team of Productivity, Innovation and Intellectual Property rights, Centre for Economic Performance, London School of Economics  
2004-2006 Tutorial Fellow and course manager for Microeconomics Principles, London School of Economics and Political Science  
2000-2003 Economic consultant (Lieutenant), The Budgetary Department of the Ministry of Defense/The Financial Advisor to the Chief of Staff (compulsory military service)

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

2008-2010 Duke University, Lecturer, Principles of Strategy (Masters and EMBA)

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- 2005-2007 Oxford University, class teacher: Microeconomics Principles (MSc.)  
2003-2006 London School of Economics, class teacher: Microeconomics Principles I (MSc.), Economics of Industry (undergraduates), September Math course (MSc.), Economics of Industry for management (summer school)
- 2000-2002 Tel-Aviv University, class teacher: Economics Principles (undergraduate), Macroeconomics B (undergraduate)

**ACADEMIC PAPERS**

1. *“The Impact of Private Ownership, Incentives and Local Development Objectives on University Technology Transfer Performance”* (with Mark Schankerman).2009. Journal of Law and Economics
2. *“Innovation in Business Groups”* (with Tomer Berkovitz). 2010. Management Science.
3. *“Cumulative Innovation and Market Value: Evidence from Patent Citations”*. Forthcoming in the Economic Journal
4. *“Business Groups, Financial Development and Industry Structure: Evidence from Europe”* (with Tomer Berkovitz). Revise and Resubmit, Management Science
5. *“Motivation and Sorting in Open Source Software Innovation”* (with Mark Schankerman). Revise and Resubmit, Management Science
6. *Performance, Firm Size, and the 'Basicness' of Research* (with Andrea Patacconi). Revise and Resubmit, Strategic Management Journal
7. *Localization of University Knowledge Spillovers: State Borders, Private Ownership and Local Development Mandates* (with Mark Schankerman). Revise and Resubmit, Review of Economics and Statistics
8. *“Innovation and Firm Value: An Investigation of the Changing Role of Patents and Firm Publications”* (with Andrea Patacconi). Revise and Resubmit, Research Policy
9. *“The Organization of R&D within firms: Measures, characteristics and consequences”* (with Ashish Arora and Luis Rios). Revise and Resubmit, Strategic Management Journal
10. *“Managerial Redeployment and Ownership Structure: Evidence from Complex Organizations”* (with Andrea Patacconi). Revise and Resubmit, Strategic Management Journal
11. *“Married to the Firm? Family Ownership, Performance, and Financing in Private Firms”* (with Rebecca Zarutskie). Under review
12. *“Intra-company Governance and Innovation”* (with Tomer Berkovitz and Patrick Bolton)
13. *“Open Science as a Signaling Device: Theory and Evidence from Firm Publications”* (with Andrea Patacconi)